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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 7579**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1493

**DATE PREPARED:** Jan 2, 2001

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Indiana Science Advisory Panel.

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**FUNDS AFFECTED:** X GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill establishes the Indiana Science Advisory Panel.

**Effective Date:** Upon passage.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** This bill establishes a six-member Indiana Science Advisory Panel. The responsibilities of the panel will be to answer questions pertaining to science for the purpose of determining public policy by any state board, commission, agency, or department. The members are not entitled to a per diem but are entitled to travel expenses and related costs. The expenses of the Panel are reimbursed through the budget of the Lieutenant Governor's office. The state General Fund is the affected fund.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** Lieutenant Governor's office.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**